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DR. STOUT'S *Hybrid Daylilies*

FARR NURSERY CO., JUNE 1947 TO JUNE 1948

More Beauty • Less Labor

"Back home again after almost three years in Europe, and the Daylilies are all doing well even without care. The same can't be said for other garden items."—S. Houston Baker 3d, 230 Denman Rd., Cranford, N. J.

"Hemerocallis have saved the beauty of my garden during these years when labor has been scarce and my own time overloaded. I have more than seventy varieties and species."—Alice Peck Kaiser, R. D. 2, Moscow, Pa.



**THIS ISSUE PRESENTS DAYLILIES
AT PRE-WAR PRICES AND LESS**

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DR. STOUT'S

Hybrid Daylilies

REDUCE GARDEN LABOR
INCREASE GARDEN BEAUTY

THE PLANTS

- Low to tall. Large to small.
- Winter proof. Weed proof. Neglect proof.
- Any climate; Panama to Alaska.
- Any soil except where constantly wet and swampy.
- Ideal along banks of pools and streams.
- Any garden spot—except dense shade—including dry slopes and poor soil.
- Clean, green, attractive foliage.

THE BLOOMS

- Spring to fall. Large to small.
- Bunched, clustered, tree branched, shrub branched.
- Sun proof. Storm proof. New kinds remain open evenings.
- Colors
 - Light Yellow Fulvous Buff Maroon
 - Yellow Copper Salmon *Pink
 - Golden Bronze Red Purple
- Patterns
 - Even toned Eyed Radiate Bicolor
 - Flushed Banded See page 21

The Best Time to Plant Daylilies Is Usually NOW

Daylilies transplant safely whenever the ground is workable. Spring and summer plantings permit a full season of root development for that much more bloom next year. Fall plantings, except late fall in zero climates, remain a half year ahead of plantings made the following spring. Gain time, accordingly, by planting NOW. We replace failures if plants were paid for within 30 days and loss is reported within six months.



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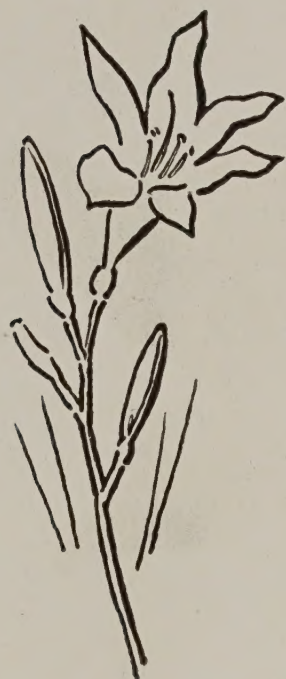
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THE DAYLILY ROOT

Packed with power and endurance; thrives through generations of hot spells, cold spells, dry spells; surmounts neglect; liberally rewards attention.



DAYLILIES by Dr. A. B. Stout



The Story Behind and About Them

BEFORE the first World War, Dr. A. B. Stout, then a young man beginning research in botany, became interested in the possibilities of the Daylily.

He envisioned new colors and combinations of color; new and longer seasons of bloom; larger and smaller blooms; improvements in bloom and plant habits.

He realized that such improvements in Daylilies, hardiest and most vigorous of perennials, would increase garden beauty and decrease garden labor.

During thirty years, therefore, Dr. Stout has obtained wild and varied species of Daylilies, new to science, from China, Mongolia, Siberia, Manchuria, Korea, and Japan; also from various Botanical Gardens of Europe.

For thirty years he has scientifically hybridized the species and followed this by several generations of selective breeding. With him, we have observed, recorded, evaluated and selected, slowly and painstakingly from approximately 150,000 selectively bred seedlings.

In this study thousands of seedlings have been discarded and destroyed. A new color merely means much further and selective breeding for the qualities that make a Stout Daylily—the qualities that are listed below, the qualities that you can expect in your garden.

Distinctive Qualities of Stout Daylilies

Pleasing variety and diversity in color patterns, in colors, in habits of growth, in season of bloom, in size of flowers.

Blooms that do not bleach, curl or wilt prematurely.

Blooms that “clean” themselves, *i.e.* the wilted flowers drop quickly and do not long remain to detract from their successors.

Plants that bloom freely and dependably for a long season.

Plants that are not tender to cold winters.

Stems that are neither too heavy nor too light for the type of blooms they bear.

Healthy and lush foliage to beautify the garden continuously.

Blooms that are not hidden in, or too far above, the foliage.

Blooms that remain open until after sunset.

It is our privilege to offer in this catalog the rare survivors, *less than one in 2000*, of the tests for these qualities. Every one of the varieties listed is worthy of choice space in your garden.

A Question About Prices

“Your Stout Daylilies, I think, have no superiors. I am amazed at your low three-dollar charge. Look at other catalogs running up to \$10.00 to \$15.00. Why don’t you?”—DR. HENRY D. WATSON, 151 Front St., Binghamton, N. Y., August 8, 1946.

The Answer

The exclusive privilege of introducing Dr. Stout’s selections was granted to the Farr Nursery Co. because Mr. Farr collaborated with Dr. Stout almost thirty years ago, when few others believed in the possibility of new colors in Daylilies. It was agreed that no introduction of these Daylilies would ever be priced at more than \$3.00 per plant.

The result has been fixed, staple value for Stout Daylilies. Instead of a high introductory price, followed by a collapse in value, many Stout Daylilies continue to be recurrently sold out, ten and more years after introduction, at \$3.00 each.

They Won’t Sell Them

Some time ago we wrote to 100 Farr customers in an effort to replenish our supply of various Stout Hybrid Daylilies on which we were oversold.

We offered \$2.00 per division, which, due to growth since purchase, would have enabled these people to receive from three to six times their original investment of \$3.00 per plant.

Of the hundred written to, less than a half dozen were willing to disturb their plants and to part with the increase that had developed.



SACHEM

1947 Introductions

War service delayed the final observations and decisions incidental to the introduction of new Stout Daylilies.

With this issue of our catalog we resume introductions and present two new clones, AUGUST ORANGE and GEORGIA.

They are distinct from any Daylilies already in commerce.

Their qualities and garden value have been tested and compared for more than seven years.

They are worthy of Stout and Farr endorsement.

You will be pleased to have them in your garden.

AUGUST ORANGE. 3 ft. Aug.-Sept. A profusion of small, rich orange blooms on heavily branched and vigorous plants. Unusually effective in the landscape and a needed companion to August Pioneer for the fall garden. Good evenings. \$3.00 each.

AUGUST PIONEER. 3 ft. Mid-Aug. to Oct. Medium-sized flowers, lavishly set on slender, strong, well-branched scapes. Color chrome-orange with outer half of petals delicately flushed red. \$1.00 each.



AUGUST ORANGE



AUGUST PIONEER

Daylilies by Dr. A. B. Stout

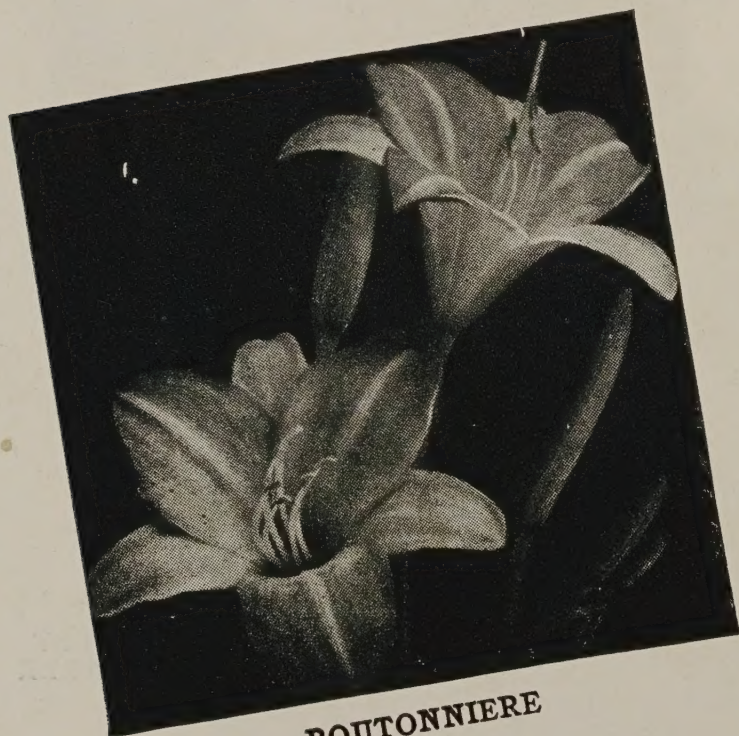


BIJOU

AFTERGLOW. 3 ft. July, Aug. A most appealing and unusual color—pale buff and pastel peach, with a rosy tint in the throat and mid-vein of the petals. Exceptionally long season. Remains open evenings. \$3.00 each.

ALADDIN. 3 ft. June. Strongly banded, but in different tones from the popular Mikado and Buckeye. Flowers are somewhat clustered and present a dazzling effect in the June garden. Garnet-brown spot on petals; outer half golden yellow. Remains open evenings. Repeats in fall. \$2.00 each.

BAGDAD. 3 ft. July. So named for its rich combination of colors—clear orange throat, with outer petals coppery red over orange veins, and mid-zone madder-brown. Large 5" flowers. Fragrant. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.



BOUTONNIERE

BARONET. 2 ft. June and Sept. Flowers full and sprightly crimson-orange, standing just above the foliage and remaining open evenings. The fall bloom nearly equals the June display. A distinct and valuable Daylily in exceptionally many respects. Note texture of flowers in picture. \$3.00 each.

B. H. FARR. 3 ft. June, July. An outstanding variety. Extra-large, full flower, with gracefully recurved petals. Glowing rosy peach, attractive, parallel, darker veinings. Throat pale; no eye. General pastel coloring. A favorite with our garden visitors. Good evenings. \$3.00 each.

BICOLOR. 3½ ft. July and Aug. Sepals, throat, and stripe along midrib of each petal are yellowish orange; petals except throat are pale red, tinged rose. Good evenings. \$3.00 each.

BIJOU. 2 ft. July, Aug. Semi-dwarf variety, blooming profusely on many branches. Ground color orange, overcast with rich fulvous red, darker mid-zone. Very long season of bloom. See picture. \$1.00 each.

BOUTONNIERE. 3 ft. Aug., Sept. Decidedly small flower, as the name implies, with wide-open, overlapping and recurving petals. Sepals clear yellow; petals light rosy peach with trace of mid-stripe. Grassy foliage. Good for fall bloom. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.



BAGDAD

FARR NURSERY CO.

Berks Co., Weiser Park, Pa.

Tel.: Womelsdorf 43 W



Baronet

DAYLILIES BY A. B. STOUT

BRUNETTE. 2½ ft. May, June. The first early dark-toned type. Throat yellowish orange; mid-zone madder-brown; outside a lighter shade of tan-red, creating a three-tone pattern. Small but very full flowers on much-branched stems. Good evenings. \$3.00 each.

BUCKEYE. 3 ft. Like Mikado but earlier. June. Flowers full, clear orange with large mahogany-red eye. Prolific grower and long period of bloom. Bunch-flowered like an Amaryllis. Good evenings. \$1.50 each.

CABALLERO. 3½ ft. July, Aug. A sharply contrasting and beautiful bicolor. Petals vermilion-red, throat and sepals golden yellow. A tall, gay and brilliant addition to the summer garden. Fragrant. \$3.00 each.

CHENG TU. 3 ft. July to late Aug. Sprightly, brilliant, coppery orange-red with deep velvety carmine mid-zone. Flowers 4½", pleasingly recurved. Good evenings. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.

CINNABAR. 2½ ft. Early July into Aug. Extra-long and profuse bloom season. Orange base, sprinkled cinnamon and strongly gold-glistening. Medium-large, with recurving petals and sepals. Fragrant. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.

CIRCE. 3½ ft. July, Aug. Full, clear yellow, medium flowers, 3½" across, are borne on erect, well-branched scapes. Tallest light yellow and does not resemble any other in bloom at the time. Tall lavender and white Phlox are a happy combination for mid-summer bloom. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.

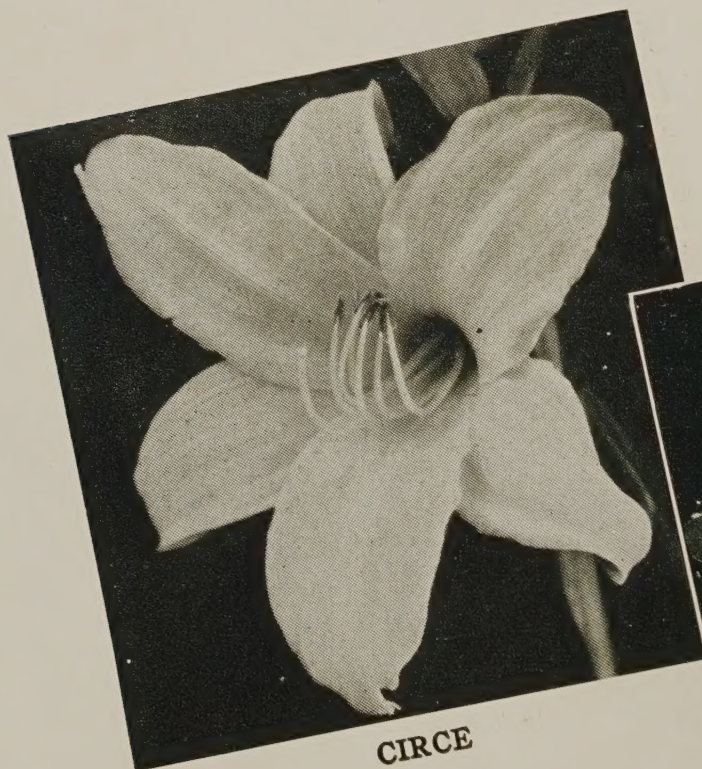
DAUNTLESS. 3 ft. July, Aug. Pale yellowish orange, with pastel blended mid-zone; large, wide and overlapping petals. Flowers of fine substance in a general pastel effect for the summer garden. Good evenings. Fragrant. Has all the choice qualities of Patricia. See picture. \$1.50 each.

DOMINION. 3½ ft. June, July. Extra-large, full flowers with rich red colorings in a concentric three-toned pattern. Second period of irregular bloom from mid-August until November. Strong, bold, royal. Good evenings. \$3.00 each.

"I am delighted to have Berks County Daylilies growing in my garden. All of my American ancestors lived in Berks County, since 1717. How much they would have loved your lilies!"—MRS. WALLACE STEVENS, Hartford 5, Conn.



CHENG TU



CIRCE



CINNABAR

DAYLILIES BY A. B. STOUT

FESTIVAL. 3½ ft. July, Aug. Named by Rev. John Allan Blair, Chambersburg, Pa. A gay Bicolor. Sepals orange with brown tinge; petals English red with darker veins and orange mid-stripe. Vigorous grower; erect, with many branched scapes. Good evenings. Fragrant. See picture. \$3.00 each.

In Praise of Theron

"Last fall I bought Theron, your mahogany Daylily, from a description in a catalog, because it cost three dollars.

"How could a Daylily be worth more than the best rose in my rose garden? Now that I've seen the bloom I know, and I wish you could see the three blooms in my garden complemented by three hollyhocks and many gaillardias in the same colors."—ELIZABETH D. NUGENT, West Hempstead, N. Y.



DAUNTLESS

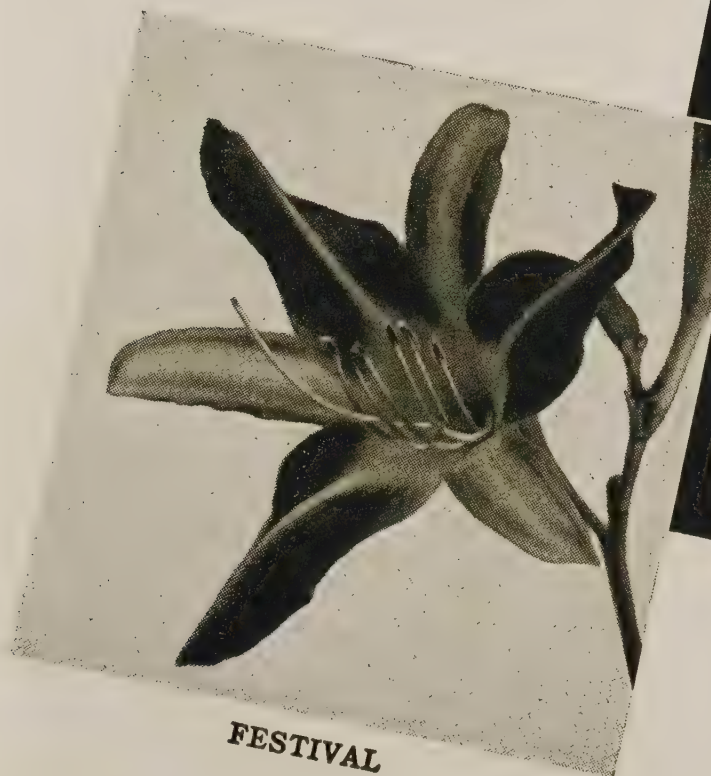
GEORGIA. 3½–4 ft. July, Aug. So named because of its buff and pink shades of peach. Inside of throat is flushed deeper russet, pink and peach. Outside of throat is golden yellow. In the pastel class with Daylily B. H. Farr but later, larger and taller, with more pink tones and lights. Wide, overlapping and gracefully recurving petals of exceptional durability. Attractive parallel veinings to a banded effect. Large, plump, green-gold buds form a display by themselves. Good evenings and new blooms open during the night while old blooms close. First bloom as early as July 4; last as late as September 6. Georgia possesses a translucence that is very responsive to light, to backgrounds and to surroundings. It blends extremely well in mixed plantings and borders. \$3.00 each.

HANKOW. 3½ ft. Aug., Sept. Flowers are large (5½"), rich yellowish orange with bold scarlet eye-zone in petals. A clone of the species *H. fulva*, extensively cultivated near Hankow, China, for food and medicine. Good evenings and one of few large, late flowering. See picture. \$1.50 each.

HIAWATHA. 3½ ft. July. Exceedingly numerous, medium small, clear golden orange blooms on many branching, up-standing scapes. A six-year-old plant at Weiser Park bore 35 scapes, each with approximately 30 buds—1000 blooms to a plant. Yeldrin is a counterpart in lighter shade. Both are like *H. multiflora* but taller, larger and earlier. Good evenings. Fragrant. See picture. \$1.50 each.



HANKOW



FESTIVAL

DAYLILIES BY A. B. STOUT

LINDA. 3 ft. July, Aug. Large flower with crinkled petals; base golden yellow with cinnamon fleck and red eye in sharp contrast to the bright and clear yellow sepals; practically a bicolor with pastel shaded eye-zone. Unusually long bloom season. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.

MIDAS. 3½ ft. July. Medium-large, full and well spread; clear glowing orange. Very tall, strong and erect scapes; excellent for background. Tallest orange-yellow. Good evenings. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.

MIKADO. 3 ft. June to Aug. Mikado has placed first three times and second once in four annual polls of Hemerocallis specialists, including 321 varieties of Daylilies. Flowers of striking color; the large spot of mahogany-red in each petal contrasts sharply with the rich orange of the rest of the flower. Many spreading branches. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.

MONARCH. 3 ft. July. Much and firmly branched, with many blooms on each branch. Full, crisp, large, star-like, light cadmium-yellow blooms with a delicate halo of fulvous orange in mid-zone. Good evenings. See picture. \$2.00 each.

MULTIFLORA. 2 ft. Aug. to Oct. A superb finale to the Daylily season, usually continuing beyond first frosts at Weiser Park. The scapes are upstanding and much branched. Flowers clear orange and smallest of the Daylily species. Grassy foliage. \$2.50 each.

MULTIFLORA SUMMER HYBRIDS. 2½ ft. Late June to late Aug. Extremely long bloom season. Numerous small (2 to 3"), clear orange flowers on heavily branched scapes. Fragrant. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.

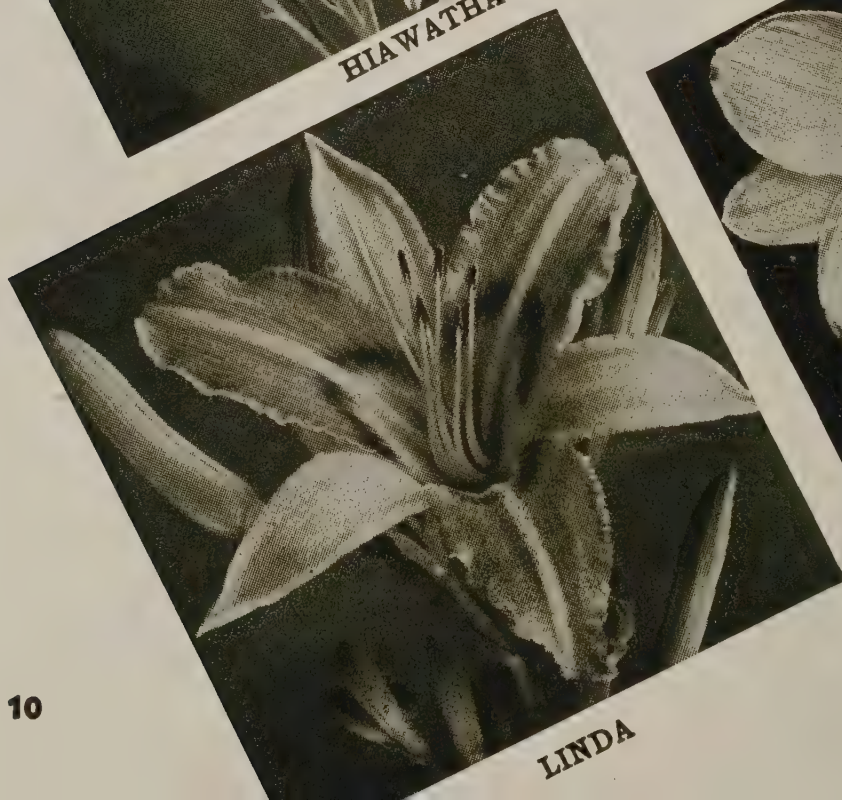
PATRICIA. 2½ ft. July, Aug. Second choice in ballot of 321 varieties. Rated 93.7, or .08 below Mikado. Pale yellow with tinge of lemon-chrome and throat of flower greenish; petals and sepals of uniform tone, broad and recurving like a stately lily. Large (5"), shapely, full flowers. Pronounced fragrance. Exceptionally good in hot sun and evenings. See picture. \$1.50 each.

Rodents Shun Daylilies

"The collection purchased in 1944 has been most satisfactory not only for its blooms but the field mice and moles do not seem to relish their flavor. So I have decided to enlarge my Daylily bed and stop furnishing expensive food to rodents."—ISABEL BOYLE, Shoreham, L. I., N. Y.



HIAWATHA



LINDA



MULTIFLORA SUMMER HYBRIDS





FLOWER GARDEN—Ophir

How to Use DAYLILIES



CUT 1

NATURALIZING—Ophir

CUT-FLOWER ARRANGEMENT.

One cutting lasts a week because new flowers open daily. Combine with flowers like gaillardia, heliopsis, or veronica; with foliage of cranberry, red-leaf maple, Oregon Hollygrape.

NATURALIZING. After the first year, Daylilies will hold their own without further attention along creeks and pools; in open woodland spots and glades; on sunny banks, slopes, and knolls; combined with daffodils.

FOUNDATION PLANTING. Plant medium to tall sorts in gaps between shrubs and evergreens. Use low sorts in foreground areas.



THE new colors of the Stout Hybrids let you use an artist's palette of tones. You can select two-toned flowers like Caballero, flowers with peach tints, pastel tones, blended tones, or solid colors from the soft yellow of Patricia to the wine-red of Port.

The habits and character of Daylilies make them one of the most useful of all perennials. The plants are bushy to the ground with graceful foliage that blends well with other leaves, and without cultivation or attention faithfully produce handsome flowers each year.

Daylilies will take your eyes away from an unsightly view and will fit many a gap where "nothing will grow." or where you just haven't bothered to fill in with a plant.



FLOWERS—Taruga Rajah



SHRUBBERY BORDER—Midas



FOUNDATION PLANTING
Patricia
Bicolor



SHRUBBERY BORDER.

Take leggy deutzias, lilacs, and mock-oranges off their "stilts" with foreground plantings of Daylilies. Use enough assortment and plants, 2 to 2½ ft. apart, to give color from May through October.

FLOWER GARDEN.

Refer to Daylily seasons, heights, and colors. Combine or supplement accordingly with delphiniums, peonies, irises, phlox, and chrysanthemums. Consider an all-Daylily garden.

HOBBY. "Blessed is the man with a hobby." Daylilies constitute a collectors' item which constantly increases in beauty and value.



MIDAS



MIKADO

Dr. A. B. Stout DAYLILIES

PORT. 2½ ft. July. A full, small flower. Rich sprightly red, with sturdy, much-branched scapes, bearing many flowers. Slightly darker in mid-zone; greenish throat. Good evenings. \$3.00 each.

PRINCESS. 2½ ft. July. Clear, uniform lemon-yellow with full, recurved petals spreading 5". Fragrant. Erect and much branched. A distinct and leading clear, light yellow. \$3.00 each.

RAJAH. 3½ ft. July to late August. Large, gaily colored English-red, with conspicuous eye-zone; throat pale orange, with greenish tinge; blades traversed by darker-colored veins, with eye-zone, as in Mikado, near the shade of garnet-brown. Scapes heavily branched, bearing as many as 20 flowers. Good evenings. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.

"Last season I wrote you about the similarity of Rajah to the old-timer Fulva that is naturalized all over Alabama. Now that my Rajah is a year older I find it to be a glorified Fulva! They are identical in form and vigor, but the color of Rajah is much deeper and brighter; differing as much from Fulva as the male cardinal bird does from the female."—POPE M. LONG, Cordova, Ala.

SACHEM. 3½ ft. July. Medium-large and full; dark red, near carmine; yellowish orange throat in sharp contrast, forming a concentric, two-toned pattern. Holds color and form exceptionally well throughout the day and in hot weather. Fragrant. \$3.00 each.



MONARCH

SATURN. 3 ft. June, July. Flowers of robust Multiflora type, 3" spread; numerous in clusters. Dark orange-red, overcast bronze. A trace of eye on crest of petal, suffusing into clear apricot-yellow and distinctive marginal band. \$3.00 each.

SERENADE. 4 ft. June, July. Very light pastel shade of yellow and pink in pleasing harmony. Petals twisted and crinkled, with faint halo. Flowers medium-large, on tall, slender, stiff stems. Try this variety in combination with Siberian Iris, Perry's Blue. See picture. \$1.50 each.

SOUDAN. 3 ft. July, Aug. Medium-large (4"), empire-yellow flowers, very full and of recurved lily type, with broad, pleasingly creped and crinkled petals and sepals. See picture page 16. Fragrant. Good evenings. \$1.50 each.



PATRICIA



RAJAH

Dr. A. B. Stout

DAYLILIES



SERENADE

Ever-Willing Daylilies

"If you will remember, we got a few Daylilies from you last fall. These have bloomed in a delightful way and they are a great satisfaction to us. So it is our intention to grow Daylilies for all we are worth.

"We love the 'willingness' of these beautiful flowers and had not realized they came in such variety, until we had these from you.

"That 'willingness' means more to me than just a good quality added to others which the flower might have, for upon it rests largely whether I am to have the beauty of flowers during the summer. An obligation, which keeps me very busy, makes it impossible for me to work in the garden as I should like to do. For years, before I knew of the Daylilies, we simply conditioned ourselves to like what came—the tall weeds and the shrilling insects. So these flowers have been a real gift to us and we are deeply grateful."—MRS. WILLIAM ALLEN WOOD, Indianapolis 5, Ind.

SYMPHONY. 3½ ft. June, July. A delicate blend of pastel tones. Sepals toned yellow; petals rose, with mid-band of darker red. Fragrant. Good evenings. \$3.00 each.

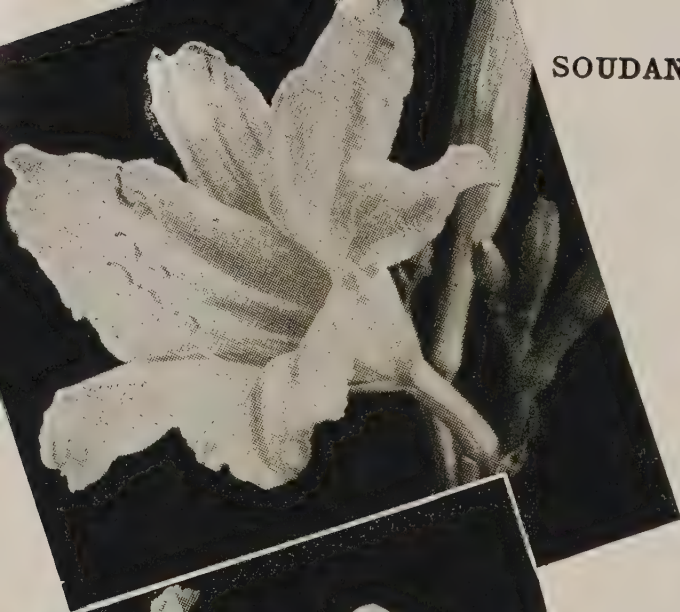
TARUGA. 2½ ft. July. Clear lemon-yellow with a faint cinnamon dust effect in the mid-zone area. Flowers are Dr. Stout's largest introduction to date; 6 to 7" in diameter. Petals have graceful curlings and foldings and are not fluffy or soft. See picture. Good evenings. \$2.00 each.

TRIUMPH. 3 ft. July. Large; rich orange with a slight fulvous red halo in mid-zone. Special and individual form. Petals broad, strongly recurved; sepals semi-erect. Good evenings. See picture page 21. \$2.00 each.

VESTA. 2½ ft. July, Aug. Semi-dwarf; deep orange with an unusual glistening gold sheen. Fragrant. Good evenings. See picture page 21. \$1.00 each.

VULCAN. 2½ ft. July, Aug. Even-toned, light velvety maroon, with faint golden brown midrib; throat of the medium-large (4") flower is golden orange. A very showy variety of deepest tone. Fragrant. See picture page 21. \$3.00 each.

WAU-BUN. 2½ ft. Late June and July. Large flowers of light cadmium-yellow, slightly sprinkled with faint traces of fulvous red, abundantly gold-glistening; petals large, broad, with ends slightly and distinctively twisted. Fragrant. See picture page 16. \$2.00 each.



SOUDAN



TARUGA



TRIUMPH



WAU-BUN

WOLOF. 3 ft. July. Fine dark velvety maroon, throat clear orange. Flowers are large size, 4½", full and spreading. A midrib of light yellow enhances the flower's attractiveness. \$3.00 each.

YELDRIN. 3½ ft. July, Aug. Small but full; very uniformly yellowish orange; buds and backs of the sepals are noticeable brown-red. Much branched. Remains open evenings. Like Hiawatha, but lighter. 1000 blooms on a mature plant during more than a month. Fragrant. \$2.00 each.

ZOUAVE. 3 ft. June. Near to a red bicolor. Petals rich fulvous red with darker mid-zone; sepals lighter. Medium sized and much branched. Usually repeats in September. Good evenings. \$3.00 each.

What Others Say:

"Couldn't part with either clump of Wolof. It is the finest thing in my garden of some fifty hemerocallis. Last summer the big clump of Wolof had fourteen stalks of bloom with ten to fifteen buds to the stalk. It is medium large and the color is vibrant—a crimson wallflower red, I would say."—JACQUES BUSHBEE, Steeds, N. C.

"I have about 60 varieties (nearly all from you) and they have been divided until this year with all the rain they are a *real* show—they are the *joy of my life* through the summer. I have 2 acres woods, 4 small streams and many springs, so you can imagine they love it here!"—MRS. M. R. YERKES, 111 Pa. Ave., Bryn Mawr, Pa.

"For more than thirty years, my parents during their life and now I have always had most satisfactory treatment."—MISS ANNA MCL. MILLER, 351 East Lancaster Ave., Downingtown, Pa.

Nice Divisions in Perfect Condition

"I think your Daylilies are the most beautiful I have seen. I possess about sixty varieties and nearly a third are from your nursery. Dominion is really the loveliest polychrome I have seen. Afterglow nearly takes my breath away—the most beautiful reflection of glowing embers.

"I also want to comment on the nice divisions you send and the perfect condition in which they are received. For this I shall never be able to thank you enough."—MRS. PETER RASICAVAGE, Kingston, Pa.

**Plant Daylilies in Daffodil areas
for extended bloom**

COMPLETE

STOUT Collection

**One plant each of all STOUT HYBRIDS
listed in this catalog,
45 plants, value \$92.00.**

**Complete as Collection
for \$80.00**

*Write for special quotations on list required
to complete your Stout Collection*



OPHIR

Grandmother's *Favorite* DAYLILIES

FOR THE BUSY GARDENER

The varieties in this list are just as good today as they were in your grandmother's garden. They have stood the test of time and have continued to hold their own against the newcomers. Use them freely as filler plants anywhere in your garden; for naturalistic plantings along streams and ponds; for ground-cover planting; for the summer home or cottage.



Grandmother's Collection

One each of ten below

(Not Hyperion and Ophir) **\$5.00**
(Value \$6.00) for

One each of twelve, including Hyperion and Ophir for **\$7.00**

Any 5 or more . at 60 cts. each
Any 10 or more . at 50 cts. each

Not including
Ophir and
Hyperion

D. D. WYMAN. 3 ft. July, Aug. Extra-large; golden yellow, tawny splash on petals. 75 cts.

FLAVA. 3 ft. May, June. The old fragrant "Lemon Lily." Clear lemon-yellow. 75 cts.

FULVA. 3½ ft. July. "The Roadside Lily." Coppery orange blooms, shaded crimson. Fine for naturalizing. 75 cts.

FULVA MACULATA. 4 ft. July to late Aug. Very large, bold flowers, softer in color than the common "Roadside Lily" and much larger and later. 75 cts.

GOLD DUST. 2 ft. May, June. Deep yellow flowers, bronze on reverse side. 75 cts.

GOLDENI. 3 ft. July, Aug. Deep golden orange, full, 4" flowers. Vigorous grower and very free blooming. 75 cts.

***HYPERION.** 4 ft. July, Aug. Large and waxy canary-yellow, of a luminous shade. Heavily fragrant. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts. each.

KWANSO FLORE-PLENO. 3½ ft. July to late Aug. Large, double, coppery orange flowers on heavy stems. 75 cts.

***OPHIR.** (Farr.) 4½ ft. Early July to mid-Aug. Waxy golden yellow flowers, 5" across, 6" long; strong stems 4 to 5 feet high. One stem usually carries 25 or more successively opening, giant, heavy-textured and lasting flowers. Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of England. An exceptionally long bloom season and an unusually fine Daylily. The inside of a fresh bloom is a reflected haze of deep gold. Good evenings. Fragrant. See picture. \$1.00 each; 5 @ 80 cts.

SIRIUS. 3 ft. July. Rich orange with a faint eye-zone. Petals charmingly crinkled and margin waxy. Fragrant. 75 cts.

SOVEREIGN. 20 in. May. Pale chrome-yellow flowers (3½") shaded brown on outside. Fragrant, repeats bloom in late summer. 75 cts.

TANGERINE. 20 in. May, June. True tangerine-colored flowers in late spring. Award of Merit, R.H.S. England. 75 cts.



Here Are

Wrote a Farr customer,
several years ago:

**"Daylilies are shaped like
STARS**

**Daylilies sparkle like STARS
in the day garden**

**Daylilies glow like STARS in
the twilight**

**Daylilies are as certain as the
STARS."**

TWINKLE STARS

Low and branchy, small-flowered types

Each of which bears hundreds of miniature blooms for an unusually long season. Low to tall. Spring to fall. Border and entrance display.

AUGUST PIONEER. Fall. Orange, flushed red.	\$1 00
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All colors, types, and purposes. Four months of bloom

Recommended for random use wherever room exists.

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This group of clear yellows provides glow and charm from spring to fall

All are time-tested classics. They can be featured in a bed of their own or as charming companions to any other plants or other Daylilies, in various areas.

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fulvous red

Each a new Stout masterpiece with distinct and time-tested qualities.

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	<u>\$6 00</u>

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These collections have a low first cost as well as minimum maintenance requirements

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Answers to Your Daily Questions!

These are the questions most frequently received by us during the past 26 years of Daylily handling.

When Can Daylilies Be Planted Safely?

Daylilies can be safely planted from early spring, through summer and until a few weeks before the soil freezes in fall; any time in localities with open winters. There isn't any desirable garden plant which reacts more favorably to shipping and transplanting rigors.

How Much Space Do They Need?

Individual Daylily plants should be spaced at least 2 feet apart. Plants spread and will fill the gaps in several years and will not overcrowd for a long time. Staggered arrangement permits a maximum number of plants to a solid Daylily bed or border.

What Soil Do They Prefer?

There appears to be no fixed soil preference. Gravel, sand, silt, loam or clay—all support good Daylily plantings. The addition of compost, manure and/or commercial plant food improves growth and bloom appreciably. Except for extremes of lime or acid, the analysis of the soil does not seem to have any noticeable effect on Daylilies. Any ordinary soil is fully suitable.

Will Daylilies Thrive in Shade?

Daylilies will survive but will not bloom well in continuous shade. There should be direct sunlight for at least half of the day. The mottled shade of open woodland is ideal. They nevertheless enjoy direct, continuous and torrid sun.

Are Daylilies Water Plants?

Definitely *no*. They like to dip their root tips into pools and streams, and they will thrive along the banks and margins of either, but they resent continuous moisture around their crowns. "Wet feet but dry heads" please them. Drought and dry slopes, however, are their specialty.

Do They Stand Heat and Drought?

They certainly do. They actually prefer heat and drought to clouds and rain during the blooming season. Midwest and desert gardeners report profuse and unfailing bloom during months of drought and weeks of temperatures above 100°.

How Should Daylilies Be Fed?

Daylilies will thrive without feeding but will respond to extra food. Use well-rotted manure or compost. Add a light application of a balanced commercial fertilizer in the spring. It is easy to overdo Daylily feeding but undesirable to omit feeding entirely.

Depth to plant Daylilies

Many gardeners are inclined to plant Daylilies too deeply. Set the roots to a depth so that the ground level will be one inch above the point where the roots and foliage meet.

How Soon Will They Bloom?

In some cases an early spring planting may produce some flowers by late summer, or a fall planting by the following summer, but generally a Daylily needs the reestablishment and development of its root system during a summer's growing season before producing normal blooms the next year.

What Care After Planting?

Daylilies require very little care after planting, if planted to the proper depth. Except weeding during the first year. In cases of severe drought and heat after planting, it is well to water and shade the plants until new foliage appears. Shading should consist of a cloth or wood strip lean-to so placed as to permit the morning and evening sun to enter. Remove this shelter as soon as cooler or cloudy weather occurs.

Gain Time by Planting Clumps?

No, because the Daylily is a long-lived plant. Clumps include excess and idle structure which permits the plant to rest and does not encourage the urge to grow. A strong division soon catches up with a transplanted clump and leaves it far behind in amount and quality of bloom.

What About Winter Care?

Their own foliage usually provides adequate winter protection and should not be trimmed until spring. The most important factor is to avoid planting Daylilies in low and poorly drained areas, and to plant so as to avoid a depression around the plant after the ground settles. Mulch, if any, should be limited to light and airy materials such as salt hay and glass or wood wool.

Should Clumps Be Thinned?

If they're merely spreading too much, reduce the spread with a sharp spade or trowel at any time. If they're overcrowding themselves to the extent that the blooms are becoming sparse and sickly, thin or transplant during the last stage of the flowering season.

How Are Flowers Borne?

There is a wide variation in the types of Daylily flower branches. One class produces bunched heads of bloom like amaryllis. Another throws a high-headed, prolific and symmetrically branched structure of true garden majesty. Others are many-branched and profusely blooming throughout their height.

Are There White Daylilies?

There are no white Daylilies and we don't expect to see any in our lifetime. The nearest to white, thus far, are the pale yellows which bleach unattractively in the sun. See them before you buy. There are good pale yellows which do not bleach, notably Princess.

Daylilies as Cut Flowers

The best time to cut them is just when the first plump, full buds are ready to open, or when they show the first curl-back of a petal.



VESTA



VULCAN

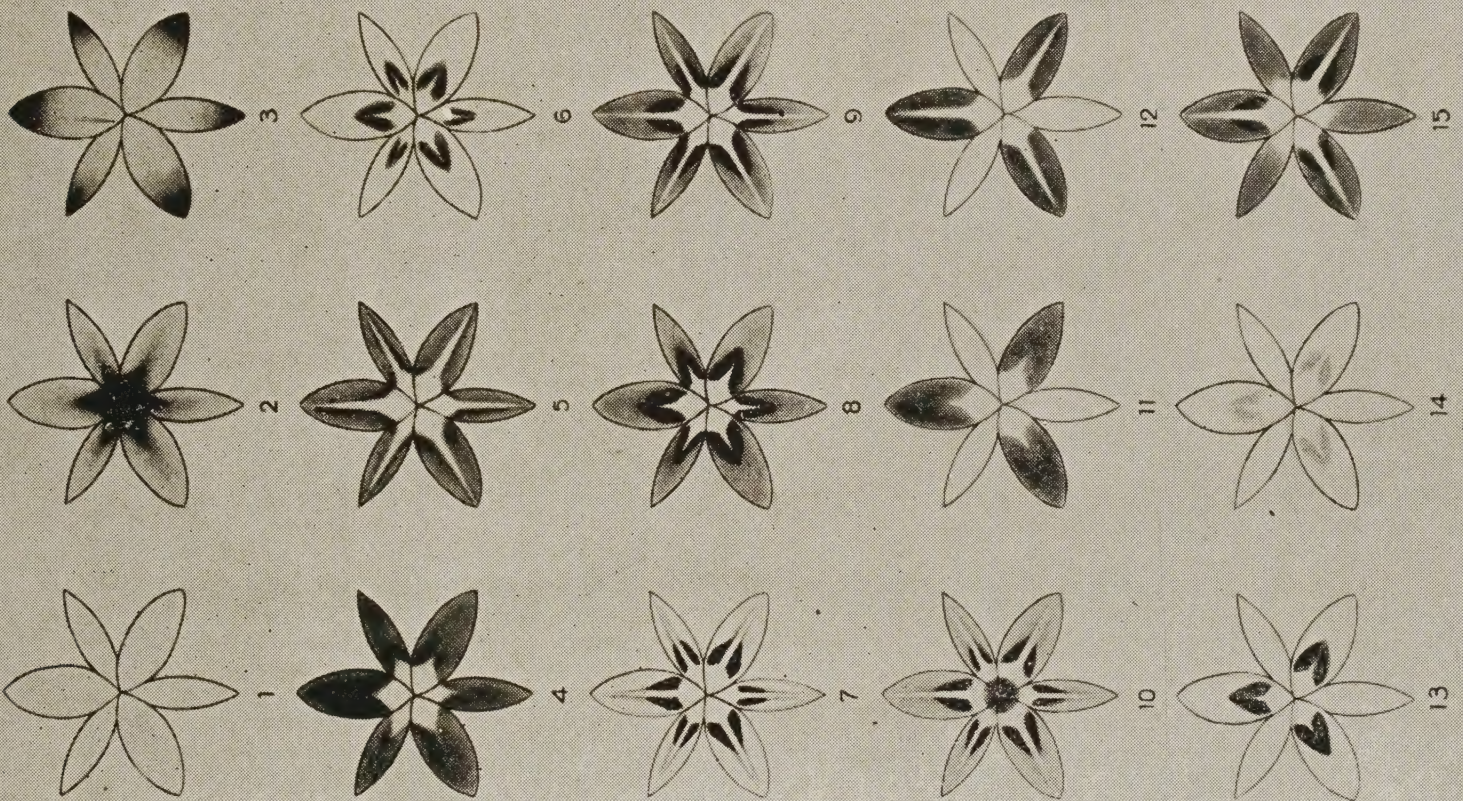


Illustration showing the distribution of Color and the principal Patterns in
Flowers of Hemerocallis

Why Hundreds of Daylily Varieties Are Justified

The average garden can use scores of Daylily varieties because of the wide range in colors, types, and seasons.

COLORS range through light yellow, lemon-yellow, golden yellow, orange, fulvous, copper, bronze, buff, salmon, pink, red and maroon—uniformly or in combinations and contrasts.

TYPES include dwarf to giant plants and bloom stems; small to large flowers; flowers in clusters, on many branches or on stately stems; bicolors, blends, selfs, eyed or patterned.

SEASONS. Most Daylilies bear successive blooms for about a month during favorable seasons. There will eventually be varieties of each type for May, June, July, August, September and October.

SUMMARY. Multiply just eight of the colors by only six of the types, by at least four of the months, for 192 varieties of Daylilies, without ever having duplicates blooming at the same time.

Handy Cross Reference Chart of Daylilies

BY COLORS

LIGHT YELLOW	
Circe	Sonny
Hyperion	Taruga
Patricia	Wau-Bun
Princess	
GOLDEN YELLOW	
August Orange	Soudan
Autumn Prince	The Gem
Monarch	Yeldrin
Ophir	
GOLDEN ORANGE	
Dauntless	Multiflora
D. D. Wyman	Multiflora
Goldeni	Summer Hybrids
Hiawatha	Sirius
Majestic	Triumph
Midas	Vesta
COPPER AND BRONZE	
Bagdad	Hankow
Chengtu	Rajah
Cinnabar	
B. F. Farr	
PEACH	
	Georgia
BUFF	
Afterglow	
RED	
Baronet	Red Bird
Brunette	Sachem
Port	Wolof
MAROON	
Dominion	Vulcan
PURPLE	
	Theron
EYED	
Aladdin	Mikado
Buckeye	Rajah
Hankow	Zouave
BICOLOR	
Bicolor	Festival
Caballero	Linda
FLUSHED	
August Pioneer	Saturn
Bijou	Serenade
Boutonniere	Symphony

BY BLOOM SEASON

MAY-JUNE	
Brunette	Sovereign
Flava	Tangerine
Gold Dust	
JUNE	
Aladdin	Buckeye
Baronet	Zouave
JUNE-JULY	
Bagdad	Saturn
Dominion	Serenade
Mikado	Symphony
Multiflora	Wau-Bun
Summer Hybrids	
JULY	
B. H. Farr	Monarch
Bicolor	Port
Cinnabar	Princess
Linda	Red Bird
Majestic	Sachem
Midas	Taruga
Multiflora	Triumph
Summer Hybrids	Wolof
JULY-AUGUST	
Afterglow	Hyperion
Bijou	Multiflora
Caballero	Summer Hybrids
Circe	Ophir
Dauntless	Patricia
D. D. Wyman	Rajah
Festival	Soudan
Fulva Maculata	Vesta
Georgia	Vulcan
Goldeni	Yeldrin
Hiawatha	
AUGUST-SEPTEMBER	
*Aladdin	*Mikado
August Orange	Multiflora
August Pioneer	*Princess
Autumn Prince	*Rajah
*Baronet	*Sovereign
Boutonniere	Theron
Chengtu	*Zouave
Hankow	

*A repeat or redundant bloom in fall.

SMALL-FLOWERED VARIETIES

August Pioneer	Circe	Monarch	Saturn
Boutonniere	Hiawatha	Multiflora	Yeldrin
Bijou	Mignon	Multiflora Summer Hybrids	

TALL-GROWING VARIETIES

Bicolor	Festival	Rajah	Symphony
Caballero	Hankow	Red Bird	Yeldrin
Circe	Hiawatha	Sachem	Zouave
Dominion	Midas	Serenade	

LOW-GROWING VARIETIES

Baronet	Gold Dust	Minor	Sovereign
Bijou	Mignon	Multiflora	Tangerine

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